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8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

Average for the past five years of the corresponding week :—		*Current.*	
Prices of food grains—Boiled rice (2nd sort) ...	5·29	4·025	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas.
Ragi	11·35	8·25	
Rangoon rice (2nd sort) ...	Not available		

Agricultural operations:—Weeding in the ragi and paddy fields is going on. The standing crops are fair. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are sufficient.

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8. Markets are fairly well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Weeding operations are going on in Dodballapur Taluk. Ploughing operations for Vaisakhi crop are going on in Dodballapur Taluk.

Seeds sown.—Potatoes in parts of Hoskote Taluk.

Standing crops.—Ragi and sugarcane in all the taluks, paddy in all the Taluks except Closepet Sub-Taluk; kulthi in all the taluks, except Nelamangala, Anekal and Devanhalli Taluks. Pulses in parts of Hoskote, Dodballapur, Kankanhalli, and Magadi Taluks. Groundnuts, til, navane, same and jola in parts of Dodballapur Taluk and mulberry in parts of Devanhalli Taluk and Closepet Sub-Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Ragi in parts of Bangalore, Hoskote, Anekal and Devanhalli Taluks, and natu-ragi in part of Nelamangala Taluk.

Damages to crops.—Nil.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. There was rain throughout the district. Food stuffs are available, but the prices continue to be high. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Public health is generally good, except for plague in parts of Hoskote, Channapatna and Devanhalli Taluks and Closepet Sub-Taluk. Influenza in parts of Devanhalli Taluk. "Relapsing fever" in parts of Dodballapur Kankanhalli, Magadi and Anekal Taluks. Remedial measures for the prevention of "Relapsing fever" have been adopted.

12. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Seeds sown.*—Paddy in parts of the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk.

Crops harvested and their outturn.—Gid ragi in parts of the Bagepalli Taluk and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk; yield 8 to 12 annas. Samé in parts of the Kolar, Chintamani and Bagepalli Taluks and in Gudibanda Sub-Taluk, yield 6 to 8 annas.

Standing crops.—Sugar-cane, paddy, jola, gid ragi, ragi, avare and togari are reported to be in good condition.

10. Prospects of the season fair. Prices of food grains stationary. Labour sufficient for cooly classes.

11. Public health is generally good, except for relapsing fever in parts of the Kolar and Malur Taluks; small-pox in parts of the Kolar Taluk and plauge in a few villages of the Malur Taluk.

12. Cattle healthy, except for rinderpest in parts of the Bagepalli Taluk. Pasture, fodder and water are available.

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TUMKUR.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Paddy in parts of Tumkur Taluk; jola in parts of Maddagiri, Chiknayakanhalli and Sira Taluks.

Crops harvested.—Groundnut in parts of Tumkur, Gubbi and Kunigal Taluks and Koratagere Sub-Taluk, yield 4 to 8 annas. Nati ragi in parts of Maddagiri and Pavagada Taluks, yield 8 to 12 annas. Navane in parts of Maddagiri Taluk and Koratagere Sub-Taluk, yield 4 annas. Savè in parts of Tiptur Taluk, yield 4 annas. Jola in parts of Koratagere Sub-Taluk, yield 4 annas.

Standing crops.—Paddy, ragi, sugar-cane, jola, hutchellu, avare, togari, horse gram, castor, savè, haraka, and cotton are reported to be in fair condition.

10. Prospects of the season.—Fair. During the week there has been rain all over the district and the crops are in good condition. Water and fodder are available. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Public health is good in all parts of the district except for plague in Tumkur Taluk and fever in Pavagada Taluk. Precautionary measures have been taken to check the spread of the diseases.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy throughout the district except for foot and mouth diseases in parts of Pavagada Taluk. Water and fodder are available.

MYSORE.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed in parts of Gundlupet Taluk for sowing kar crops.

Standing crops.—Paddy, ragi, horse gram, black and green grams, Bengal gram, togari, avare, tadagani, mulberry, sugar-cane, ramtil, castor, coriander, tobacco, cotton, chilly, samé, menthya and sasuve; and they are reported to be in good condition.

Crops sown.—Horse gram in parts of Hunsur and Heggaddevankote Taluks; coriander in parts of Hunsur Taluk and Bengal gram in parts of Yedatore Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Ragi in parts of T.-Narasipur Taluk (yield 8 annas).

10. Prospects of the season are fair.

11. Public health is generally good, except for plague in parts of Mysore, Chamrajnagar, Seringapatam, Hunsur, Yedatore, Heggaddevankote, Gundlupet, Nanjangud, T.-Narsipur and Malvalli Taluks.

12. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for Doddaroga in parts of Mysore, Yedatore, Heggaddevankote, Nanjangud and Malvalli Taluks; Chapperoga in parts of Yedatore Taluk and foot and mouth diseases in parts of Gundlupet and Nagamangala Taluks. Water and fodder are available.

HASSAN.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Seeds sown.*—Bengal gram is being sown in parts of Belur Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Sugar-cane is being harvested in parts of Alur Sub-Taluk and Channarayapatna Taluk.

Condition of the standing crops.—The rainfall during the current week has considerably improved the condition of the standing crops which were reported to be fading in some taluks. The following standing crops are reported to be in good condition throughout the district. Paddy, ragi, sugar-cane, jola, avare, togari, kulthi, castor, chillies and green and black grams. Paddy and coffee are reported to be in a fair condition in the Manjarabad Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be good. The supply of water in the tanks for irrigation purposes is reported to be inadequate in the Hassan and Hole-Narsipur Taluks. More rainfall is needed to fill the tanks.

11. Public health is generally good except for plague in a few villages of Hassan, Hole-Narsipur and Channarayapatna Taluks.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy throughout the district. Water and fodder are available. The scarcity of fodder which continued hitherto in the Arsikere Taluk may, it is hoped, disappear in a short time.

SHIMOGA.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Nil.

Seeds sown.—Bili jola in the Channagiri Taluk; wheat, jola and Bengal gram in the Honnali Taluk are being sown.

State of standing crops.—Sugar-cane and paddy in all the taluks except Channagiri; ragi and jola in the taluks of Honnali, Channagiri and Shikarpur; chillies in the Shikarpur Taluk; navane, avare and togari in the taluks of Channagiri and Honnali are reported to be in fairly good condition.

Crops harvested.—Ragi in the taluks of Shimoga, Channagiri, Honnali, Shikarpur and Sorab; paddy in the taluks of Shikarpur and Sorab; navane in the taluks of Channagiri and Shikarpur; jola in the Channagiri Taluk; areca in the taluks of Shimoga, Sorab, Sagar, Nagar and Tirthahalli are being harvested.

10. The prospects of the season are fair. Jola crop in Sasvehalli Hobli of Honnali Taluk is reported to have been affected by a disease called "Kadige." The wet crop in some parts of Anavatti Hobli of Sorab Taluk is reported to be not good for want of rain.

11. There is plague in Shimoga Town in Durvigere and Doddagatta villages of Channagiri Taluk and Sorab Town. Malarial fever is prevailing in the Sorab Taluk. The public health is reported to be good otherwise.

12. Except for foot and mouth diseases in the Hoblis of Bhadravati and Holehonnur of Shimoga Taluk and Ananthapur Hobli of Sagar Taluk, and for a kind of disease known as Matrakatte in some parts of Nagar Taluk, the cattle are reported to be healthy. Fodder and water are available in all the taluks.

KADUR.

8. The markets were fairly supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Nil.

Crops sown.—Kadur Taluk—Coriander, jola and Bengal gram; Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk—Horse gram and ragi.

Standing crops.—Chikmagalur Taluk—Sugar-cane, paddy and jola. Kadur Taluk—Ragi, avare, arhar, navane, jola, sugar-cane and castor. Tarikere Taluk—Paddy, ragi, jola, avare, castor, horse gram, coriander, sávé and navane. Koppa Taluk—Paddy, ragi, areca, pepper, sugar-cane and cardamom. Mudgere Taluk—Paddy, ragi, coffee, sugar-cane and cardamom. Narasimharajapura—sugar-cane, areca and paddy. Sringeri—areca and paddy.

The standing crops are reported to be in good condition. Areca crop is affected by Koleroga in the Koppa Taluk and Sringeri Jahgir

Crops harvested.—Chikmagalur Taluk—Black gram, yield 8 annas. Kadur Taluk—Sugar-cane, yield 8 annas. Koppa Taluk—Areca and cardamom. Sringeri Jahgir—Areca.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Foodstuffs are available. Prices continue to rule high.

11. Public health is generally good. Plague is prevailing in Narasimharajapura and Chikmagalur Towns and in parts of the Chikmagalur Taluk.

12. Cattle are generally healthy. Doddaroga is prevailing among cattle in parts of the Koppa Taluk and Sringeri Jahgir. Water and fodder are available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets were adequately supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Paddy, ragi, jola, sajje, navane, horse gram, cotton, castor, sugar-cane, togari and avare are reported to be in fair condition. *There had been good rain throughout the district during the week* and all the tanks have received full supply of water.

Seeds sown.—Bili jola, wheat and kadle in the taluks of Chitaldrug and Jagalur and the sub-taluk of Harihar; bili jola and kadle in Hosdurga Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Ragi in Molakalmuru and parts of Hiriyur Taluks (yield 8 annas in the former taluk); jola in Holalkere Taluk (yield 8 to 10 annas); til and groundnut in Davangere Taluk (yield 8 annas); navane in Hosdurga Taluk and Harihar Sub-Taluk (yield in the latter 4 annas); ragi, navane, jola and til in Jagalur Taluk (yield 4 to 8 annas).

10. Prospects of the season fair. Cooly classes are finding sufficient labour. Foodstuffs are available, but the prices remain high as usual.

11. Public health is generally good, but for plague in the towns of Davangere, Jagalur and Harihar and in some villages of Davangere, Chitaldrug and Jagalur Taluks and Harihar Sub-Taluk.

12. Healthy. Water and fodder are available.

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